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Assignee:

Advanced Technology Video, Inc.

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DIRECTIONAL MOTION ESTIMATOR

REQUEST FOR PERMISSION TO WITHDRAW AS ATTORNEYS OF RECORD UNDER 37 CFR § 1.36 AND § 10.40

Seattle, Washington 98101

May 3, 2004

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

REQUEST FOR WITHDRAWAL AND REASON THEREFOR

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.36 and 37 C.F.R. § 10.40(c), the undersigned hereby requests permission to withdraw as attorneys of record in the above-referenced patent application because of nonpayment by the applicant for an unreasonable period of time 37 C.F.R. § 10.40(c)(1)(vi).

ASSIGNMENT OF APPLICATION

The above-identified patent application is a continuation application that is owned by Advanced Technology Video, Inc., by virtue of the assignment in the parent application, now U.S. Patent No. 6,707,486, and recorded at Reel 010706, Frame 0969.

ALLOWANCE OF TIME FOR ASSIGNEE TO ACT

In accordance with 37 CFR § 10.40(a), the undersigned has taken reasonable steps to avoid foreseeable prejudice to the rights of the assignee. The status of the patent application is as follows: The application is awaiting examination. The assignee has sufficient time to seek and employ another practitioner for this patent application before any additional action is required.

ASSIGNEE NOTIFIED OF WITHDRAWAL

By way of correspondence dated May 3, 2004, assignee was informed of the withdrawal of Christensen O'Connor Johnson Kindness^{PLLC} as attorneys of record for this patent application. Due notice has been given to the assignee of the undersigned's withdrawal from employment and of the filing of this paper with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

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PAPERS AND PROPERTY DELIVERED TO ASSIGNEE

During the course of prosecution, the undersigned has provided assignee with all papers and property to which the assignee is entitled concerning the prosecution of the above-identified patent application. The undersigned has also notified the assignee of any responses that may be due and the time frame within which the assignee must respond.

LAST KNOWN MAILING ADDRESS OF ASSIGNEE

The last known mailing address of the assignee is Advanced Technology Video, Inc., 15110 NE 95th Street, Redmond, Washington 98052. Future correspondence should be mailed to assignee at that address.

WITHDRAWAL OF ATTORNEYS

This Request for Permission to Withdraw As Attorneys of Record is being signed by Maria L.C. Anderson on behalf of herself and all attorneys and agents who are members of, employed by, or otherwise associated with the firm of Christensen O'Connor Johnson Kindness^{PLLC}, Customer No. 26389, and explicitly on behalf of the attorneys listed on the Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney on file in this matter.

A copy of this Request is being forwarded to assignee at the mailing address set forth above.

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service in a sealed envelope as first class mail with postage thereon fully prepaid and addressed to Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on the below date.

Date: May 3, 2004 Jamela h Sucher

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